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Scope



- Minimum required to achieve interoperability between multiple vendors' end-items on a Fibre Channel instrumentation bus.
- This document only addresses the ability to move the data.
 - Data format is beyond the scope

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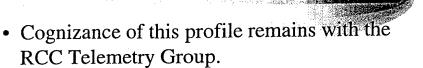
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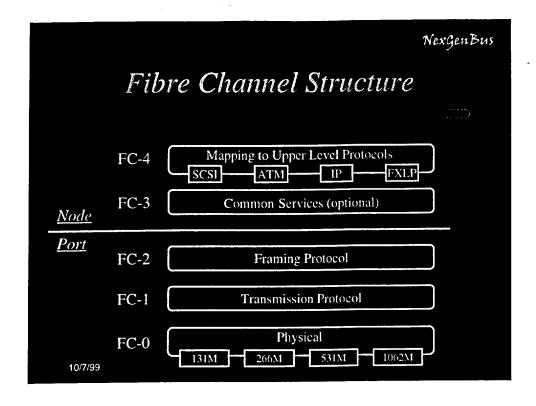
- The order of precedence for instrumentation interoperability shall be:
 - This document
 - The FC-AE profile (when published)
 - The Fibre Channel suite of standards.

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Responsibility



• The Fibre Channel documents including the FC-AE Profile Technical Report are the responsibility of the T11 Technical Committee (TC)



Fibre Channel Level 0 (FC-0) Cables and Connectors Signaling Rate Signal Quality

Fibre Channel Level 1 (FG-1)

• No Changes

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Fibre Channel Level 2 (FG-2)

- Port Type
- Login
- Class of Service

Fibre Channel Level 3 (FG-3).

• No Changes

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Fibre Channel Level 4 (FC-4)

Protocol



FC-PH-	x (X3.230, X3.297, X3.303)
Section	Change
2	Normative References
	MIL-C-38999 Connectors, Electrical, Circular, General Specification For. [Gore connector is not strictly per std, Thomas will modify appropriately]
	MIL-C-17/Quad Cable [Gore cable is not strictly per std, Thomas will modify appropriately]
3	Definitions and Conventions
3.1.70	NL_Port functionality shall be required
5	FC-0 Functional Characteristics
5.1	Addition of Gore cable in the general characteristic section.
5.1	1 063 Mbaud support required
5.7	Media designation for Quad cable will be 'QU' [We need to pick a designation to identify this quad cable in the FC-0 nomenclature like in Table 3 below.]

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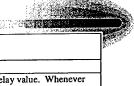
5.8	Update Table 3						
	Part of Table 3, Electrical Media Signal Interface Overview						
	100 MR/sec 1 06	100 MB/sec 1,062 5 Gbaud					
	100-TV-EL-S Subclause 7.2 0-25m	100-MI-EL-S Subclause 7.2 0-10m	100-QU-EL-S Subclause 7.4 0-25m				
7							
	Electrical Cable Interface Specification [Thomas updating based on lab tests]						
	[Update table 10]						
7.4	Quad Data Link Info will have to be added to include the Gore cable. It should						
	follow the format in the previous/current sections. Content will be based on the results from the test plan and cable mfr.						



9	Electrical Cable Plant Specification		
9	[Thomas updating based on lab tests]		
9.5	Quad Cable Plant Specification (new section) A new section will have to be added to include the Gore cable. It should follow the format in the previous sections. Content will be based on the results from the test plan.		
22	Classes of Service		
22.3	Class 3 – Datagram support is required.		
23	Login and Service Parameters		
23	Nodes shall support implicit login and optionally support explicit login. [Here's my thinkingsee section 6.3.4]		

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FC-AL (X3.272)

Section Change

11 Clock Synchronization Service (New Section)

Each L_Port shall be capable of storing a time propagation delay value. Whenever the timeserver sends a time value, the L_Port will add its delay value to the time value to update its real-time clock. The delay value format shall be a binary representation of nanoseconds delay. In order to accommodate the maximum delay from a timeserver, a 16 bit data field should be used.

Max delay = 125 nodes x 240ns delay/node + 126 links x 5ns/m x 30m = 48,900ns

FC-IP,	RFC 791?
	Change
?	?
	IP support as an upper layer protocol is required

Avionics Working Group

- Technical Committee T11.4 sponsors a
 Fibre Channel Avionics Environment (FC-AE) group
- Produce a "Profile" using Fibre Channel in an avionics environment

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Informative Annex

- Topics that may make a system more useful, but not required for interoperability
 - Architecture
 - Open System
 - Topology

Informative Annex - cont.

- Fault Tolerance
 - » Port Bypass
 - » Hub
 - » Redundancy
 - » Addressing
- Timing
 - » Data Correlation
 - » Simultaneous Sampling
 - » Data Source Reconstruction

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Informative Annex - cont.

- Interoperability
 - » Physical
 - » Port Type
 - » Signaling Rate
 - » Login
 - » Class of Service
 - » Protocol

